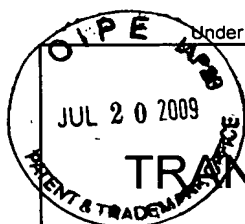


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REMARKS

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual Name	Michael J. Bujold DAVIS & BUJOLD, P.L.L.C.	Reg. No. 32,018 CUSTOMER NO. 020210
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For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

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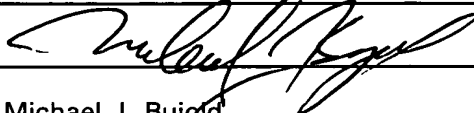
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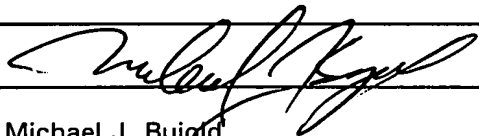
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